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AMERICAN EXPORTS BARRED BY ITALY; LIRAS TOO LOW

Imports From U. S. Have Almost Ceased During Last Three Months.

By HIRAM K. MODERWELL
By Cable to The Star and Chicago
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ROME, July 13.—American exports are being virtually boycotted by Italy as a result of the low value of Italian money, according to the opinion of many careful observers, both Italian and American.

During the last three months imports from the United States have almost ceased, except for such necessities as cotton, petroleum and coal. The other chief exports from the United States to Italy—namely, automobiles, shoes, foodstuffs, lumber, machine tools, silk goods and agricultural implements—are no longer being purchased in substantial quantities.

Many American commercial men have been examining the situation here with the eyes of experts. Among them is Maj. Case, who represents an American international corporation and is now in Rome. They all agree that so long as Italy's reconstruction is retarded America's export trade to this country will go lame. The Italian boycott began about three months ago. It was encouraged by governmental restrictions and taxes on imports of luxuries. This was the chief cause of the temporary rise in Italian exchange. The boycott was not organized or malicious. As a whole, the Italian people are friendly to the United States, however much they may dislike the American foreign policy. Still Italians who would like to buy American shoes at the New York prices of, say, \$15 begin to shy when these same shoes cost \$60 or \$75 in Italy, because of the difference in exchange. The Italians also like the low-priced American automobiles, but they refuse to pay limousine prices for them.

Tourists Are Gainers.
The only class of Americans who are the gainers by this situation are the tourists, who for a mere trifle here can see more beauty than any other country in the world can show. It is agreed that the inability of American firms to sell their goods in Italy will continue as long as the exchange rates remain so abnormally high against Italy. It is generally expected that these unfavorable rates will continue for a long time and that the exchange value of the lira will decline again. This is because economically Italy is now on a dead center. Although making brave efforts, the country is not able to carry on any considerable work of reconstruction without the aid of foreign capital.

Oscar Sinigaglia, an eminent Italian economist, professes the greatest confidence in Italy's potential strength but considers the present situation discouraging. He asserts that after detailed study he has found that northern Italian workers are equal to the German and work much cheaper than the American. He urges that American capital take advantage of this situation by sending raw materials here to be worked up by this cheap labor for sale in the eastern markets. Without some such cooperation, he declares, Italy will not be capable of purchasing largely in the United States for several years.

Further Loans Unlikely.
American financial men who have visited here, however, declare that there is no possibility of further American loans or credits. Italy is fast, therefore, like the other European nations to remain an economic invalid and condemned to a long convalescence, because she must spend her energies in making a living instead of getting well.

It is agreed by all, however, that the invalid is doing remarkably well considering the indifference of the doctor. The Italian output of goods is greater than one would imagine, considering the multitude of strikes. The increase in Italian exports recently has been greater than that in France. For the first time in four years, also, enough coal has been secured to meet the minimum needs of industry. The Po valley is being gradually electrified. At present 90 per cent of the industry in Milan is operated by hydro-electric power from the Alps or the Apennines.

The northern Italians have shown remarkable organizing genius. Finally, Italy is now the only former belligerent in Europe whose finances are on a sound basis. If Premier Giolitti can realize his stringent taxation program, Italy's financial resurrection should be rapid. Her economic recovery would be speeded up greatly if trade with Russia were opened, permitting her to buy necessities cheaply from the east. Under present conditions, however, the American commercial man must wait a long while before he can begin to sell on a large scale in this country. All this is another example of the economic truth that no nation can profit permanently from the misfortunes of another.

FURTHER PROBE ORDERED INTO POISONING OF BOY

Suicide Suspected, But Autopsy to Be Held at Jury's Direction.

FAIRFAX, Va., July 14 (Special).—While individual members of the coroner's jury investigating the death by poisoning of fifteen-year-old Lewis S. Makley of Centerville, Fairfax county, Va., are inclined to the opinion that the boy committed suicide, at an inquest an autopsy on the body was ordered. The boy's body was found under a tree on his father's farm last week. While no possible reason for the lad's suicide can be found, there is also no information received by the coroner's jury as to a motive for murder. The inquest, which is being conducted by Coroner Robey of Herndon, Va., will be continued next Monday after an examination of the contents of the boy's stomach has been made.

BIDS FOR FUEL OIL

Will Be Opened by U. S. Shipping Board Tomorrow.

Bids for one-year, three-year and five-year supplies of fuel oil for the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation will be opened by the board tomorrow. The board announced that it requires 28,242,000 gallons of fuel oil each year or a five-year amount of 141,110,000 gallons. Tenders of bids will be considered at all ports where offices are maintained by the board. The board agrees to place at the disposal of the successful bidder or bidders, tank steamer tonnage, at the government time charter rate of \$6.50 per deadweight ton per month in the amount necessary for delivery as required.

PLAN EVEREST CLIMB

GENEVA, June 20 (Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Col. Charles Bruce and Maj. Rawlin of the English Geographical Society, will shortly start on an expedition to climb to the peak of Mount Everest, Himalayas, according to an announcement received here from Zermatt. The adventurers will be accompanied by Swiss guides and porters in their attempt to conquer the highest mountain peak on the globe.

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Pajamas Reduced to \$2.15 Suit

Plain White Muslin Pajamas, round neck fastened with large pearl buttons; light weight and splendid quality, as illustrated. All sizes.

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Plain White Night Shirts made of Fruit of the Loom Muslin, turn-over collar and pocket; best quality pearl buttons; sizes 15 to 20.

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\$5.75 and \$7.75 Pair

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It Is Beautiful New Footwear

Every pair taken from our own stock. The selection of styles is particularly pleasing and varied. You will find represented in the sale all of our best makers, including Laird, Schober & Co., from whom we obtain the finest shoes produced for women.

Included are White Buckskin, Tan Calfskin, Black Calfskin, Black Kidskin, Black Suede, Patent Coltskin, Brown Suede, White Reignskin, Gray Kidskin and Gray Suede.

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Women's Shoe Section, Third floor.

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